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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. 826.1680/JDH

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Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-148956  
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